The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

[XX^th Year.] THURSDAY, *October* 18, 1764. [N^o. 1015.]

LONDON, *July* 28.

Declaration of his Most Christian Majesty's Plenipotentiary, with Regard to the Debts due to the Canadians.

THE King of Great-Britain having desired that the Payment of the Letters of Exchange, and Bills, which had been delivered to the Canadians for the Necessaries furnished to the French Troops, should be secured; his Most Christian Majesty, entirely disposed to render to every One that Justice which is legally due to them, has declared, and does declare, that the said Bills, and Letters of Exchange, shall be punctually paid, agreeable to a Liquidation made in a convenient Time, according to the Distance of the Places, and to what shall be possible; taking Care however that the Bills, and Letters of Exchange, which the French Subjects may have at the Time of this Declaration, be not confounded with the Bills, and Letters of Exchange, which are in the Possession of the new Subjects of the King of Great-Britain.

In Witness whereof, We, the underwritten Ministers of his Most Christian Majesty, duly authorised for this Purpose, have signed the present Declaration, and caused the Seal of our Arms to be put thereto.

Done at Paris the 16th of February, 1763.

(L. S.) CHOISEUL. DUC DE PRASLIN.

Extract of a Letter from a Merchant at Lisbon, dated June 9, 1764, to his Correspondent in London.

"We have little talked of here but the Loss sustained by the Burning of our Custom-House, which is computed at 800,000 l. and which is supposed by most People to be done by some of the under Officers, who often make a Practice of stealing Things, but perhaps met something valuable, and had an Opportunity they could not withstand; and to cover their Villainy set the Whole on Fire.

"It is remarkable that no Smokers, or any other Fire, were admitted near this Place, except in the Sealing Office, where no Fire had been for the three preceding Days; and this dismal Catastrophe took its Rise a great Distance from this Office, where many valuable Things were deposited.

"The Court gave out industriously that the Strangers lost but a Trifle, and their Subjects suffer almost the Whole. This is done to stop the great Clamour of the Factory, who cry aloud at not having a Custom-House built of Lime Stone, according to his Majesty's Promise immediately after the Earthquake; and for which Purpose 4 per Cent was levied on all Goods imported, which Duty amounts to a Sum sufficient to build one considerably larger than was necessary."

Extract of a Letter from Cork.

"A Gentleman, lately arrived from Kerry, whose Authority we can rely on, informs us that there are now on the Western Coast upwards of 100 Sail of large French Boats fishing for Mackerel, each Vessel carrying 30 or 40 Men, and a String of Nets which extends upwards of 3 Miles. This must greatly prejudice our Fisheries, as they break the Shoals of Fish when coming in, and by throwing the Guts of Mackerel overboard, the large Fish are detained in deep Water, which would otherwise come at the usual Time to the feeding Ground near the Shore, and will consequently make a Scarcity of Hake, Cod, and Ling, in the Seasons for taking them. Last Summer there were 300 of these large Boats fishing on this Coast, many of which made two Trips to France, fully laden with Mackarel, which has occasioned so great a Scarcity that large Orders to this City for Mackerel in the Winter could not be executed."

The Scheme for calling in the Paper Currency in the British Settlements in America, it is said, will be attended with so many Disadvantages to Trade, as will defer its being put in Practice, at least for some Years.

A few Days ago was Married at Garistown, in Ireland, Mr. Arthur Rice, aged 79, to Miss Anne Corroghan, aged eleven Years and one Month.

The Wife of Mr. King, of Chertsey in Surry, was delivered of a fine Boy. It is remarkable the Mother of this Child is upwards of 60 Years old, and the Father near 72, and she has had a Child every Year for these three Years past.

The Africa, a Dutch Ship, Capt. Hollander, being slaving on the Coast of Guiney, and having sent part of the Crew with the Boat ashore, the Negroes on board revolted, by which 35 of them, Men and Women, and several of the Ship's Company, were killed; the Captain was shot thro' the Cheek with a Musket Ball, the Second Mate killed, and the other Officers in the Confusion having left the Ship, the whole Crew was reduced to 13 Men, 7 of whom were sick; but by the Help of Capt. Bruyn, of Amsterdam, who spared them a Mate, and two Sailors, they cut the Cable and made the best of their Way for St. George Elmina, there to wait till they received Succours.

On Sunday the 15th ult. Died, in the 125th Year of his Age, George Kirton, of Oxnop Hall, near Reeth in Yorkshire, Esq; A Gentleman more remarkable for Fox-hunting than the famous Mr. Draper; for after following the Chace on Horseback till he was upwards of 80, so great was his Desire for the Diversion, that (till he was 100 Years old) he regularly attended the unkennelling the Fox in his Single-Horse-Chair. And, as a Proof that Length of Days are not always entailed on a Life of Temperance and Sobriety, he was an Instance to the contrary; for no Man, even till within 10 Years of his Death, made freer with the Bottle. His Estate, which is pretty considerable, and has been in the Family near three Centuries, descends to his Son, Thomas Kirton, Esq; an eminent Physician in Yarm.

A private Letter from Holland mentions, that some hundred Pieces of large Ordnance are now shipping for the Dutch Settlements in the East-Indies, with a View to fortify two of their most valuable oriental Spice-Islands, which it is suspected some of their Neighbours in those Parts have long beheld with a jealous Eye.

A large Quantity of military Stores are now getting ready to be shipped for Senegal, in Consequence of the late Act of Parliament, which vests that Place and its Dependencies in the African Company.

It is said a large Sum of Money in Gold and Silver, is ordered to be shipt for Augustine, for the better promoting Trade in the two Floridas, where the Credit of these Provinces is as yet too weak to carry on Business on the Strength of a Paper Currency.

This Week three Men in the Rope-making Business were engaged for Georgia; where, we are informed, that Branch of Manufacture is going to be carried on in a very extensive Manner.

August 7. We are informed a Bill is preparing to be laid before the ensuing Parliament to prevent Foreigners in the West-Indies from being supplied with Negroes from any of the British Settlements on the Coasts of Africa: A Step the more necessary, as the Demand for Slaves still continues very high in our new Colonies.

We are informed, that the long-continued Troubles in N^th. America, thro' the untameable Dispositions of the Indians, have induced the Government to grant a farther Augmentation to the military Establishment of those Provinces, which are most exposed to their Incursions, but whether this is to be effected by Troops from England, or reviving the several independent Companies on the New-York Establishment, broke since the Peace, is not yet settled.

August 9. The Price of Furrs is at present so considerably increased in France, since the Cession of all North-America to England, that we are advised, by Letters from Paris, their several Beaver Manufactures cannot carry on Business as usual; to supply whom, a new Species of Smuggling has been invented, that of importing Beaver and Furrs trafficked with the English in Newfoundland, and the Gulph of St. Laurence, for the Manufactures of France carried over in their fishing Vessels.——Should this pernicious Intercourse be suffered to continue, Great-Britain may be still rivalled by France in the Furr Trade, notwithstanding the latter do not at this Time possess an Inch of Sea-Coast on the Western Continent.

BOSTON, *October* 1.

On Monday last in the Afternoon, a very sorrowful Accident happened in Cross-street, at the North Part of the Town: Two Lads playing in a Chamber with a Gun, not knowing it to be loaded, presented it out of the Window, to snap it; the Gun went off, and the Shot entered into a neighbouring Window, near which several Women were sitting at a Tea-table; one of them, Mrs. Wheaton, a Widow, was shot in the Head in such a Manner, that she expired in three Hours after; another was considerably wounded in the back Part of her Head, but not mortally; a Third was slightly touched on each Side of her Head, by some of the Shot which scattered. It is said this Gun had been loaded with Duck shot about five Months; the Person who used it last, returned from Fowling with it loaded, emptied the Pan of the Priming, and then laid it by, and never was meddled with until this shocking Occurrence happened.

It is not improper to caution People, who are fond of Gunning, to be more careful than they generally are; it being a Practice for many to keep their Guns loaded, if they have not had an Opportunity of firing at Game, imagining that no Person will ever meddle therewith, until they have Occasion to use it themselves; by which Means we have so many unhappy Accidents.

NEW-LONDON, *September* 10.

On the 18th of January last sailed from this Port bound for the West-Indies, the Schooner Dolphin, Elisha Tracy, Master, and on the 24th of the Month, in Lat. 34, they met with a violent Gale of Wind, which continuing, on the next Day at Night, a Sea overset her and washed the Mate and one of the Seamen, named Fry, overboard, who were drowned, and carried away the Rudder, and soon after another Sea carried away both Masts, the Bolt-sprit, Boat, and every other Article on the Deck; in which doleful Situation they continued 'til the 7th of April, being 74 Days, when they were met with by a Ship bound from St. Kitts to Liverpool, in Lat. 37, Lon. 50, to which latter Place they were carried; from whence they came to Philadelphia, and from thence to Newport; where one of them was pressed on board one of his Majesty's Cruizers, and carried to Halifax, the others are returned home.

NEW-YORK, *October* 8.

Yesterday Afternoon, a disagreeable Disaster happened on our Bay, viz. A Passage Boat belonging to Mr. Johnson's Ferry on Staten Island, having two Passengers, a Child, and two Negroes on board, beside the Skipper, unfortunately overset near the Island, ——owing, 'tis said, to some Indiscretion or Mismanagement on board, at the Time when a Flaw struck her. The Horseman, being the Waiting-man of a Gentleman travelling to Philadelphia, unfortunately was drowned; (his Master more fortunate staying behind) and the other Passenger Mr. Nathan Ogden, after tossing the Waves for near an Hour, nearly exhausted, was taken up by Gentlemen from the Island, who instantly put off on Sight of their Misfortune. The Skipper was also saved; but the Boat and Tackling soon disappeared, except a few Inches of her Spindle.——'Tis said that she will soon be recovered, together with the Carriage.

PHILADELPHIA, *October* 11.

Our last Accounts from Fort-Pitt are, that all the Forces had got safe there; and that Colonel Bouquet, with 400 Men, had crossed the Ohio, where he was encamped, waiting the Arrival of a Number of Volunteers from Virginia, hourly expected.

Extract of a Letter from Carlisle, October 3.

"A few Hours ago came to Town a certain De Haven from Conococheague, who informs us, that on Monday Morning two Sons of William Armstrong, near Loudon, were plowing, and being called home to Breakfast, they left a Boy in the Field with the Plows. As they came in Sight of the House they observed Indians about it, upon which they started about to return to their Plows, and take out the Boy, but found that he was gone, that hereupon they fled to London. It is further says, it was reported that the Rest of said Armstrong's Family were killed, but has not yet been

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had been seen in three Parties in that Settlement, ten in one Body, seven in another, and two in another.—As many of the Over-Hill Inhabitants were gone and going to labour for a Fall Crop, this Report, if it proves true, (and generally these Reports are found so) will greatly discourage the poor People, and I am afraid prevent many from labouring for their next Year's Bread."

ANNAPOLIS, *October* 18.

The *Jane*, Capt. *Coulson*, from *Patuxent*, arrived at *London* the 26th of *July* last.

A Brigantine, with a large Cargo of *French* Molasses, was lately seiz'd in *Nanticoke*, by the Officer of the Customs.

To be SOLD, or LET,

THE GOVERNOR's Plantation, called *Wrighton Farm*, on *Rhode* River, about 8 Miles from *Annapolis*, containing about 300 Acres of Land, near 20 Acres of it fine Meadow, and a great Part of the Rest in good Order for Farming: There are on the Premises two good Orchards, Barns, a convenient Dwelling House, a Brick Kitchen, and several other Houses.

Time will be given for Payment, if a Purchaser desires it. (1t)

To be RENTED for Seven Years,

THREE pleasant situated Plantations, on the Head of *Gunpowder* River, in *Baltimore* County, opposite the Town of *Joppa*, where every Thing, as soon as made, is at Market; there is plenty of Houses, Meadows, and Fences, with a Number of Conveniencies, too tedious to mention. (2m) EDWARD DAY.

N. B. That the Tenant may not be obliged to sell what he makes at an under Rate to raise his Rent, nine Calendar Months will be given him in his Lease, after the Year expires, to sell his Produce, to raise his Rent, which will afford him an Opportunity of embracing the best Market, without being hurried. They are to be enter'd on the First of *January* next. *E. D.*

To be SOLD to the Highest Bidder, at the House of Mr. Doncastle *in* Port-Tobacco, *on Thursday the* 15*th of* November *next, for Sterling Cash, or good Bills of Exchange,*

A TRACT of LAND called ST. JOHN's, containing 800 ACRES; also Part of one other Tract called GRENBAC, containing about 60 Acres, lying on *Patowmack* River in *Charles* County. For Title and Terms apply to (7s) SAMUEL HANSON, junr.

TO BE SOLD,

PART of a Tract of LAND, called *Beall's and Edmonston's Discovery*, containing 155 Acres, whereon is a small Dwelling House, a new Tobacco House, and an Orchard; there is but 30 Acres cleared, and there may be made 8 or 10 Acres of very good Meadow Ground: The above Land is well adapted to Planting or Farming, and lies about 10 Miles from *George-Town*, and about the same Distance from *Bladensburg*.

Whoever is inclinable to purchase, may apply to Mr. *John Watson* living near the Premises, who will shew the said Land.

To prevent Trouble, the Price is 75 *l.* Sterling. (3w) ARCHIBALD ORME.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND, called *The Lucky Discovery*, containing 119¼ Acres, lying in *Prince-George's* County, on the *Cabbin-Branch* of *Patuxent* River, within 5 or 6 Miles of *Upper-Marlborough*, on which is an exceeding good Orchard, plenty of very good Meadow may be made, with very little Trouble, and some Improvements.

For farther Particulars apply to the Subscriber, living in *George-Town*, in *Frederick* County. (4w) JOHN ORME.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, for Cash, or Tobacco,

A SMALL Parcel of GOODS, consisting chiefly of the following Articles, Mens and Boys Felt and Castor Hats, *Kendall* Cottons, coarse, middling, and fine Broadcloths, Shaloons, Hair Shag, Cotton Velvet, Callimanco, broad figured Dimity, Thickset, Duroy, Fustian, &c. Credit will be given, if required, and the Goods sold on very easy Terms to the Purchaser. (3w) DANIEL OF ST. THOMAS JENIFER.

CASH for BILLS.

BY Virtue of a Writ of *Fieri Facias*, to me directed, from the Commissioners or Trustees of the Paper Currency Office, against the Lands and Tenements of Mr. *Thomas Lee*, late of *Prince-George's* County, deceased, to pay and satisfy the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds Current Money, public Notice is hereby given, That on Thursday the 22d Day of *November* next, at the House of Mr. *Benjamin Brookes*, in *Upper-Marlborough*, betwixt the Hours of II and IV o'Clock in the Afternoon, will be Sold to the highest Bidder, The LOT of GROUND in *Upper-Marlborough* aforesaid, N°. whereon the said Mr. *Thomas Lee* did live, together with all the Houses and other Improvements thereon, that I may have the Money ready, at the Return of the Writ, as I am commanded. G. SCOTT, Sheriff of (3w) *Prince-George's* County.

ROBERT REYNOLDS, Hatter,

(Having Compleated and Finished his Apprenticeship to that Business, agreeable to the Act of Parliament)

GIVES Public Notice, to his Fellow-Citizens, and Others, That he will supply them with HATS made of the best Furrs, in the neatest Manner, and at the most reasonable Rates, at his Father's Shop, over against *St. Ann's* Church, in ANNAPOLIS. (1t)

WHEREAS Mr. *Charles Ridgely*, junior, advertised in the *Maryland Gazette* of the 13th of *Sept.* ult. to pay sundry Debts due from Mr. *Samuel Hyde*, Merchant, in *London*, to many of the Inhabitants of this Province, pursuant to a Letter which he received from *John Hyde*, Esq; of *London*; and as many of the Debts are so small that they will not defray the Expences in going after them, especially those due to Persons on *Patowmack*, and the lower Part of *Patuxent*; and as it may be some Easement to such Persons as live remote from *Baltimore-Town*, and some Advantage to myself; I propose to attend at Mr. *Henry Lowe's*, at *Broad-Creek*, on the 30th of *October*, and at Mr. *Benjamin Brookes's*, at *Upper-Marlborough*, on the 31st, in Order to meet such Persons as will please to intrust me to receive their respective Claims from Mr. *Charles Ridgely*, at which Time they must procure what is necessary to satisfy Mr. *Ridgely* they have a Right to receive such Debts, either by Accounts Current formerly sent them by Mr. *Samuel Hyde*, setting forth the Balance, or by Affidavit to prove themselves, &c. together with signing a List to satisfy Mr. *Ridgely* that I am to act for them. For which Trouble, I must have at the Rate of Ten *per Cent* like Money, on paying off the several Debts, for which Purpose I shall meet again at Mr. *Benjamin Brooke's* on the 12th of *November*, and on the 13th at Mr. *Lowe's*, and doubt not of giving Satisfaction to all concerned. (2w) JOHN WATSON.

THE Subscriber some Time since, passed a Bond to *Aquila Jobus* of *Baltimore* County, for £. 334: 4: 3 Current Money of *Pennsylvania*, for the Purchase of a Parcel of Land, bought of said *Jobus*, most of which Bond is paid him, and the Land is not conveyed according to his Contract. This is to forewarn all Persons from taking an Assignment of said Bond, as I will not Pay the Balance remaining due thereon, which does not exceed 45 Pounds, 'til the Land is conveyed, to *Octob.* 16, 1764. JACOB GILES.

ALL Persons Indebted to *Thomas Beatty* and Company, upon Bond, Note, or open Account, that is become due, are desired to discharge the same immediately; otherwise they will be put in Suit without further Notice, or Respect of Persons.

N. B. Charles Beatty attends in *Frederick-Town*, to settle the said *Beatty* and Company's Business, and has punctual Orders to put all in Suit, that do not comply with the above Advertisement, without Respect of Persons. (7s)

STOLEN out of the Subscriber's Pasture, near *Bladensburg*, about the 25th of *August* last, a Black Horse near 14 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock WM (in a Piece), and has a few white Hairs in his Forehead.

Whoever brings the said Horse to the Subscriber, shall have, if found within 20 Miles from home, Twenty Shillings Currency; and if at a greater Distance, a proportionable Reward. (7s) THOMAS CHITTAM.

Baltimore County, October 3, 1764.

COMMITTED to this County Jail, on the 12th of *September*, as a Runaway, a New Negro named *Sambo*, who is supposed to belong to *Semple's* Works; and on the 5th Instant, one *William Jackson*, a Sailor, who is supposed to belong to some Ship. He is a short active Fellow.

Their Masters are desired to pay Charges, and take them away. JOHN TAYLOR, Jailer.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living at *Broad-Creek* in *Prince-George's* County, on Sunday Night, the 14th of this Instant *October*, Two Convict Servant Men, viz.

Jonathan Darbyshire, a lusty young Fellow, about 6 Feet high, of a dark Complexion, and long black Hair: Had on when he went away, an old Drab Cloth Coat much worn, greased and tarred as he lately came from on board a Ship, an old Jacket and Breeches, Shoes and Stockings, and an old Hat.

Edward Bisbee, a lusty well set young Fellow, about 20 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, grey Eyes, and by Trade a Shoe-maker: Had on when he went away, an old light colour'd Pea Jacket, black Serge-Denim Breeches, black Worsted Stockings, and Country made Shoes. It is probable he may change his Apparel, as he took with him a Snuff colour'd Cloth Coat, and Cotton Jacket; he also took with him, a Set of Shoe-maker's Tools, and some Soal and Upper Leather.

Whoever will secure the said Servants, and bring them to the Subscriber, shall receive a Reward of Three Pounds, if taken in the Province; and if taken out of the Province, FIVE POUNDS, and reasonable Charges, paid by (7s) ENOCH MACRUDER.

RAN away from the Subscriber living on *Elk-Ridge*, on the 12th of this Instant *October*, a Convict Servant named *John Hubbard*, a likely, fresh colour'd Man, about 25 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, wears his own brown Hair, has a Scar on his right Cheek, and is mark'd on his left Hand with Gunpowder I H. His Apparel, a new white Cotton Jacket, old brown Great Coat with one Button, blue Cloth Breeches, old Leather Ditto, Osnabrig Shirt, old Trowsers, old Worsted Stockings, old Shoes, and old Hat. He was a Sailor on board a Man of War, has been in *Philadelphia*, and 'tis probable will make that Way. All Masters of Vessels, and others, are forbid to carry him off at their Peril.

Whoever takes up the said Servant and brings him to the Subscriber, shall have, if taken 10 Miles from home, Thirty Shillings beside what the Law allows; if 20 Miles from home, Fifty Shillings; and if out of the Province, Five Pounds, paid by (3w) JAMES WOOD.

TAKEN up adrift between *Thomas's* and *Talby's* Point, a Pine Canoe, 27 Feet long, Eastern Shore Built, with two Pieces of Iron Hoops nail'd across the Head.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

ROBERT PAINE DAVIS.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Shomaker*, near the Mouth of *Big-Pipe-Creek* in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a bright Bay Horse about 5 Years old, 15 Hands high, and branded on the near Shoulder W, with a Figure of 2 over it.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE LET,

ABOUT 400 Acres of Land on *Rock-Creek*, in *Frederick* County, near Mr. *Andrew Heugh's*, most of the Ground cleared, with two good Tobacco Houses, Corn Houses, and Quarters; the Plantation in good Order, and the Soil excellent; with Eight good working Hands.

The above will be Let to one Person, or divided into two or three Tenements, as will be most convenient. For Terms and further Particulars apply to DANIEL CARROLL.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, Monday the 22*d of* October, *in* Frederick-Town, *in* Frederick *County*,

A LOT and a Half of GROUND, whereon is an exceeding good Stone House, well finished, with 4 Rooms below, and 3 above, a good Stone Kitchen, Stables, &c.

The Title indisputable.

MICHAEL JESSERSON.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 12th Day of December *next, at the Dwelling-House of Mr.* Nathaniel Chapt *in* Queen-Anne's *County, near the Premiſes;*

TWO Thouſand Acres of LAND, lying on the Branches of *Chaptank* River, in the County aforeſaid, (the Eſtate of Capt. *Matthew Dockery*, lately Deceaſed,) whereon are ſome ſmall Improvements, the Whole very well Timber'd, and great Quantities of very valuable Meadow may be made thereon. It is convenient to ſeveral Landings in *Kent* County on *Delaware*, where it will be left when the Provincial Boundaries are eſtabliſhed. It will be ſold either in Lots or together, as may beſt ſuit the Purchaſers; and any Money will be taken in Payment, and reaſonable Time given (on Security, if required). For Terms and Title, apply to THOMAS RINGGOLD, *Cheſter-Town*; or SOLOMON WRIGHT, in *Queen-Anne's* County; to whom any Perſon inclining to purchaſe before the Vendue, may apply.

All Perſons having Demands againſt the Eſtate of Capt. *Matthew Dockery*, Deceaſed, are deſired to make their Claims known, to

SOLOMON WRIGHT.

October 10, 1764.

THE Subſcriber hath by Deeds of Leaſe and Releaſe conveyed to *Walter Dulany*, Eſq; certain Lots, Lands, Houſes, and other Premiſes, in Fee; and by Deeds of Aſſignment made over to him ſundry Perſonalties, in Truſt, that the ſame ſhall be Sold with all convenient Speed, and the Money ariſing from the Sale, to be applied in a juſt, rateable and proportionable Manner, to all and every the Creditor and Creditors of the Subſcriber, who ſhall by Themſelves, or their Agents, ſend in their legal Claims in Three Months from the Date of this Advertiſement; which, as many live remote, is thought a reaſonable Time to ſignify their Approbation and Concurrence. Thoſe who will not accede to the Propoſals left with the ſaid *Walter Dulany*, will be excluded from the Benefit. Thoſe who have any Objections to the Propoſals, are deſired to make them in Three Months from the Date hereof, that every Thing in the Power of the Subſcriber may be performed, in order to fix a final Settlement on the moſt juſt and equal Terms. M. MACNEMARA.

Stafford County, VIRGINIA, *October* 1, 1764.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, Two *Engliſh* Servant Men, *viz.*

John Buckingham, an Indented Servant, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, remarkably pitted with the Small-Pox, thin viſaged, wears his own dark Hair, which is juſt long enough to tie behind, walks as if he had a Limp in his Gait, he pretends to be a Groom, but is a Coachman. Had on when he went away, a black Velvet Jockey Cap, pretty much worn, a new light grey narrow Broadcloth Coat, lined with Shaloon of the ſame Colour, with broad white Metal Buttons, a ſuperfine dark brown Broadcloth Waiſtcoat, with Buttons of the ſame Colour, a Pair of Buckſkin Breeches, fine white ribbed Worſted Stockings, and a Pair of channell'd Pumps: He took with him, a white Fuſtian Frock, the Buttons cover'd with the ſame, and is unlined; a light colour'd Bearſkin Coat, lined with green, trimmed with yellow Metal Buttons, and a Great Coat of the ſame Colour; a Pink colour'd Jacket, richly trimmed with Livery Lace; and ſundry other Cloaths and Linen.

John Frichir, a Convict, by Trade a Joiner and Wheelwright: Had on when he went away, an Oſnabrigs Shirt (and ſundry white Ones with him) a light blue Jacket without Sleeves, lined with white Tammy or Shaloon, and has yellow Metal Buttons, with a Flap over the Button Holes, a pretty good Felt Hat, and what other Cloaths I can't deſcribe, but has taken many Things with him: It is ſuppoſed they have cut up their Blankets, to make Bags or Wallets to carry their Cloaths in. *John Fricher* is a well-made, well-looking, ſtout young Fellow, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, and wears his own dark Hair, combed back and tied behind. *Buckingham* has forged a Paſs, to which he has put Mr. *Baily Waſhington*'s Name, and mine.

WILLIAM BRENT.

JUST IMPORTED *from* BARBADOS,

A QUANTITY of choice *Barbados* RUM, to be Sold by the Subſcriber in *Annapolis*, very cheap for Cash.

BENJAMIN BEALL.

Lower-Peter-ſon Iſland, October 20, 1764.

STOLEN out of the Subſcriber's Creek, on the 3d or 4th Inſtant, a large Pine CANOE, paint over within and without, with a mixture of Tar and Red Paint; has ſome Links of an Iron Chain faſt to her Head, and underneath the Head and Stern, there are a couple of Iron Plates nailed.

Whoever will ſecure the Canoe, ſo that I may get her again, ſhall receive Ten Shillings Reward, and for bringing the Thief to Juſtice, and convicting of the Theft, Two Piſtoles, paid by

PATRICK HAMILTON.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living on *Elk-Ridge* in *Anne-Arundel* County, on the 23d of *Sept.* laſt, a Servint Man named *Peter Graſſey*, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, of a ſandy Complexion: Had on, an Oſnabrigs Shirt and Trowſers, an Everlaſting Waiſtcoat, without Sleeves, a Felt Hat, and old Shoes; his left Arm is very remarkable, being near 4 Inches ſhorter than his Right. He took with him a Grey Horſe, about 13 Hands high, and about 4 Years old, no Brand.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant and Horſe, and ſecures them ſo that the Subſcriber may get them again, ſhall have Five Pounds Reward, paid by 3 ROBERT BROWN.

To be SOLD at BALTIMORE-TOWN,

THE Sloop *Elizabeth and Betſy*, about 50 Tons Burthen, will carry 350 Barrels of Flour, and is about 3 Years old, fitted for Sea. Time of Payment will be given, on paying Intereſt. Apply to JOHN STEVENSON for Terms. 4

JUST IMPORTED,

In the above Sloop, and to be Sold at my Store very Cheap for ready Money,

A CHOICE Parcel of *Barbados* RUM, and *Muſcovado* SUGAR; among which there are Ten Hogſheads of very old Rum, and allowed by Judges to be very little inferior to Spirit.

JOHN STEVENSON.

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

Elk-Ridge Furnace, *September* 25th, 1764.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, Three Convict Servant Men, all late from *England*, *viz.*

William Driver, about 40 Years of Age, near 6 Feet high, has ſhort thin Hair, a long lean Face, high Forehead, reddiſh Noſe, and round Shoulders; his Legs are long and ſmall, with large Lumps or Knots in the Veins.

Iſaac Burritt, a Youth of about 19 Years; he is near 5 Feet 8 Inches high; has many Freckles in his Face, and ſhews much of the Conjunctiva, or white of his Eyes.

Joſeph Clarke, about 25 Years of Age; he is near 5 Feet 8 Inches high, has thin light colour'd Hair, his Complexion is pale, his Eyes black, has loſt two of his upper fore Teeth, and when he walks, turns his Toes pretty much in.

They had on, and took with them, as follows, *viz.* 3 Cotton Jackets, 2 Pair of Breeches, 6 Oſnabrigs Shirts, a light colour'd Broad Cloth Coat, with green Lining, light colour'd Fuſtian Jacket and Breeches, a Pair of Broad Cloth Breeches, a black flower'd Damaſk Waiſtcoat without Sleeves, 3 old Hats (one a Caſtor) a Pair of blue Stockings with white Tops, a Pair of coarſe white Yarn Stockings, and coarſe Country-made Shoes.

Whoever apprehends the ſaid Runaways, and ſecures them ſo that their Maſter may have them again, ſhall receive, if taken within 10 Miles of *Elk-Ridge* Furnace, Three Pounds; and if above 10 Miles and under 20, Five Pounds; and if above 20 Miles, Nine Pounds; and if out of the Province, Fifteen Pounds Reward, (and ſo in Proportion for one or two) and if brought home, reaſonable Charges, paid by

X 4 CALEB DORSEY.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Perſons indebted to Capt. *Archibald Johnſton*, late of *Worceſter* County, deceaſed, That I have obtained Letters of Adminiſtration, and have impowered *William Allen*, Eſq; Attorney at Law, to ſettle and collect all the Debts due to the ſaid Captain *Johnſton*, for my Uſe, and whatſoever he does relative thereto, I ſhall abide by.

I hope every Body indebted to this Eſtate will provide accordingly, and pay without Delay, otherwiſe they may be ſure of being ſued and warranted, which I ſhould be glad they would prevent.

Sept. 28, 1764. STEPHEN WEST.

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GEORGE WHITE, *Printer and Glazier, from London, lately removed to Annapolis*, A

CARRIES on his Buſineſs, at his Shop near the Church, and will ſerve any Gentlemen as well and as Cheap, as any one of that Profeſſion. He likewiſe Papers Rooms in the genteeleſt and neateſt Manner, and whoever ſhall be pleaſed to employ him, may depend on being faithfully ſerved, by *Their humble Servant*,

GEORGE WHITE.

To be SOLD to the higheſt Bidder, on the Premiſes, on Monday the 3d Day of December *next, if fair, if not the next fair Day, for Cash, or ready ſweet Tobacco,*

A TRACT of LAND called BARNETT, containing about 300 Acres, more or leſs, on which is an exceeding good Dwelling-Houſe, 28 by 28 Feet, with 2 Brick Chimneys, 3 Rooms on the lower Floor, and good Peaches both before and behind, all lately finiſhed, and 3 Rooms above, not quite finiſhed, but may be for a very ſmall Expence; a Kitchen, Corn Houſe, Stable, an Out-Houſe for Negroes, and 2 exceeding good Tobacco Houſes, with a good Apple and Peach Orchard, 20 Acres of which might with very little Trouble be made into a very good Meadow. There is likewiſe two good Plantations on the ſaid Land, with convenient Houſes for a Planter, and Orchards, which Rent for 1000 lb Crop Tobacco yearly, each.

Likewiſe a Tract of Land called *Court's Diſcovery*, containing about 60 Acres, adjoining the ſaid Land.

The Titles of both Tracts are indiſputable, of which the Subſcriber will ſatisfy any Purchaſer, on the Day of Sale.

The above Three Plantations are all well Fenced in, and otherwiſe in very good Order.

WILLIAM COURTS.

STOLEN from the Subſcriber, living on *Rock-Creek* in *Frederick* County, on the 14th of *September* laſt, a large Sorrel Horſe, paces very faſt, has a Blaze in his Face, and branded on the Shoulder and Buttock thus T m.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Horſe, ſo that the Owner may have him again, ſhall have a Reward of Thirty Shillings, paid by

ELIZABETH BUTLER.

Kent-Iſland, October 9th, 1764.

TAKEN up by the Subſcriber, a Fifteen Hogſhead Flat, without Maſts, Sails, Oars, or any other Thing, and appears to be very old.

The Owner may have her again, by applying to the Subſcriber, and paying Charges.

JAMES HUTCHINGS.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on the Twentieth of October, *at* Leonard-Town, *in* St. Mary's *County, for Sterling Caſh, or good Bills of Exchange,*

A VALUABLE Tract of Land, containing Two Hundred Acres, lying on *Patowmack* River, near *Point-Look-Out*, having Two ſmall Plank Dwelling-Houſes on it, with other Out-Houſes. For Title and Terms, apply to the Subſcriber, near *Piſcataway*. JOHN MANNING.

WILLIAM KNAPP, WATCH-MAKER,

TAKES this Method to acquaint the Public, That he has provided an Aſſiſtant in the WATCH-MAKING BUSINESS, which will enable him the better to Diſpatch the Work of thoſe Gentlemen who have, and may employ him. He hopes his paſt Endeavours in that Way, may have anſwered the deſired End. It is manifeſt from daily Experience, that Numbers of Watches (which have been originally well executed) have ſeverely ſuffered thro' the unſkilful and injudicious Practice of ſome Men, who aſſumed the Knowledge of a Buſineſs to which they were only Pretenders. Thoſe *Watches* which have been many Years in Uſe, and conſequently Worn, he will engage to Mend, as well as when New; and will at a very moderate Expence keep, thoſe he Repairs, in Order, for Ten Years, all Damages excepted which may accrue to 'em from Accidents, ſuch as a Fall, and the Breaking of a Main Spring, which the moſt diſcerning Workman cannot often Account for, nor the *moſt* prevent.

He Makes, and will Supply any Gentlemans with HORIZONTAL, SECONDS, or PLAIN WATCHES, and will engage the Quality to be equal to any Imported from *London*.

WANTED,

A PERSON Qualified to conduct the Business of a County Clerk's Office. Enquire of *Thomas Johnson*, Esq; of *Annapolis*.

To be SOLD, or LEASED for 99 *Years, renewable For Ever,*

TWO Lots of Ground lying on *Forest-street* in *Baltimore-Town*, to be laid off in small Parcels, as may suit the Purchasers or Leassees, on the most reasonable Terms. Also 1000 Acres of Land, about 8 Miles from Town, to be Leased for 21 Years, to be Parcell'd out as may suit the Leassees, on which is a well improved Plantation fitting for a Farmer, with a good Tanyard on it.

For Terms apply to CHARLES CROXALL, at his House on *Patapsco* River.

MADE an Escape from *Calvert* County Jail, a Person who assumed the Name of *Richard Richards*, and was Indicted last *June* Court under that Name for passing Counterfeit *New-Jersey* Bills; but has since proved to be a Woman, dress'd in Man's Cloaths. She had on a light colour'd Cloth Suit. Whoever will take her up, and deliver her to the Subscriber, shall receive a Reward of TEN POUNDS. TRUEMAN SKINNER, Sheriff.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER, in St. Mary's County, for Cash or Bills of Exchange, with a small Advance on the first Cost,

ABOUT Seven Hundred Pounds prime Cost of GOODS, imported last *June* from *London*, consisting of Osnabrigs, *Irish* Linens, Check Ditto, white and brown Sheeting, *Russia* Drabs, Cotton Hollands, *Welch* Cotton, white Callicoes, Muslins, Cambricks, Lawns, Chintz, Callicoes, Stuffs, dyed Pillows, Fustians, Callimancoes, Tammies, Shalloons, Bed Ticking and Bunts, Rugs, Counterpanes and Blankets, Broad Cloth, Bearskins, Duffels, Halfthicks, Kerseys, Pearnoughts, *German* Serges and Druggets, with suitable Trimmings, Mens ready made Great Coats, strip'd Linseys and emboss'd Serges, Mens and Womens Shoes, Mens and Womens Worsted, Thread and Cotton Stockings, Mens and Womens Gloves, Womens Silk Hats and Bonnets, Mens Castor and Felt Hats, Nails, broad and narrow Hoes, Cutlery, Saddlery, Locks and Hinges, Gunpowder and Shot, and many other Things too tedious to mention.

Time of Payment will be given, on giving Bond and Security if required, by

HUGH HOPEWELL.

RAN away from North-East Forge, in *Cecil* County, on the 4th of this Instant *September*, a Convict Servant Man named *William Hatton*, born in *Derbyshire*, and says he is a Stocking Weaver by Trade; he is a down looking Fellow, 25 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, and well set. Had on when he went away, a Thick-set Coat, a scarlet Cloth Jacket, Leather Breeches, white Shirt, Worsted Stockings, a Pair of Pumps, and a good Castor Hat. He wears his own Hair, which is of a brown Colour. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so that he may be had again, shall receive, if taken within 10 Miles of the said Forge, Twenty Shillings; if above 10 and under 20 Miles, Thirty Shillings; if above 20 and within 40 Miles, Fifty Shillings; and if at a greater Distance than 40 Miles, Five Pounds *Pennsylvania* Currency, and reasonable Charges if brought to the Works, paid by

WILLIAM BAXTER.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near *Annapolis*, about the last of *June*, a Mulatto Fellow named *Cyrus*, about 5 Feet high; he is bow legg'd, his Toes incline to turn inwards, has a down Look, and is slow of Speech; he has black Hair, which curls much. Had on a Cloth colour'd Waistcoat, with yellow Metal Buttons, an Osnabrigs Shirt, and old Leather Breeches.

Whoever brings the said Fellow home, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward. If taken out of the Province, Forty Shillings, and reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by

GERARD HOPKINS, junior.

N. B. He formerly belonged to Capt. *Thomas Gantt* in *Prince-George's* County, and is a noted Runaway.

Baltimore-Town, Sept. 18, 1764.

THE Subscriber gives this Notice to young Gentlemen that have not had the SMALL-POX, That he has provided good Lodgings, and that he now INOCULATES at *Baltimore-Town*, where they may depend on being well used. As he has been at some Trouble, he expects Two Pistoles, so that the Whole Expences attending it does not exceed Six Pounds Fourteen Shillings, including a Month's Lodging, *&c.*

HENRY STEVENSON.

TWENTY PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, living on *Elk-Ridge*, a Convict Servant Man named *William Lane*, he is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, well-set, and wears brown Hair. He had on and with him, a good Felt Hat, a good brown Cloth Coat, Callico Jacket, a Fustian Ditto, Leather Breeches, and sundry other Things not particularly known. He is supposed to be in Company with another Convict Servant Man, whose Name is *William Roberson*, and who is much pitted with the Small-Pox. He had on a good Felt Hat, a Cloth Jacket, the hind Parts blue, the fore brown. He also had some other Clothes, and a Broad Sword.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, and brings them home, or secures them, so that their Master may get them again, shall have the above Reward, or Ten Pistoles for either, paid by

June 3, 1764. NATHAN DORSEY.

Prince-George's County, *September* 3, 1764.

THE Subscriber having just received positive Instructions, from ANTHONY BACON, Esq; and Company, Merchants in *London*, immediately to Settle and Collect all Debts due to the said Company, that their Effects may be remitted them as soon as possible; he therefore requests that all those who are Indebted to the said Company, would, without Loss of Time, Settle and Discharge their respective Balances. Those who neglect to comply with this Request, may be assured, without further Notice, the most speedy Methods will be taken for the Recovery of these Debts; which will be very expensive to them, and extremely disagreeable to

JOSEPH SIM, Attorney in Fact for *Anthony Bacon*, Esq; & Co.

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At the said Store is put up in the neatest Manner, and with the greatest Care,

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Which, to those that have already tried, has given the greatest Satisfaction. The Directions are printed, and have been well approved of by some of the first Physicians on the Continent. As we purpose to apply our whole Attention to this Business, (the first of the Kind in the Province) and shall constantly keep a full and compleat Assortment of every Thing in our Way, we hope thereby to merit the Encouragement of the Public.

We shall Import regularly twice a Year; but if we should run short of any Articles before the Arrival of our Importation, we shall supply such Deficiency from our Drug-Store in *Philadelphia*, as there are weekly Opportunities from thence to this Place; so that our Customers may always depend on having their Orders compleatly executed, without any Difference of Price.

N. B. Conveyance as usual, by Way of Messieurs *Middleton* and *Reith*.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of PATENT LAND, lying on *Susquehannah* River, in *Cecil* County, commonly called Capt. *Jackson's* Plantation, formerly Rented by *James Harrison*, and now in the Tenure of the Widow *Harrison*. For Terms apply to Mr. *Charles Ramsey* in *Charles-Town*.

September 10, 1764.

EIGHT PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber living on *Elk-Ridge*, last Night, two Servant Men, *viz. John Todd*, an *Englishman*, about 35 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, of a sandy Complexion, short yellowish Hair, red Beard, very Clumsy made, and walks chiefly on his Heels. Had on and took with him, an old light colour'd Drab Coat, blue Sagathy Breeches, Osnabrigs Shirt, Crocus Trowsers, old Shoes, and new Felt Hat.

Joseph Neale Bacon, a Baker, an *Englishman*, about 45 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, a thin Visage, partly owing to having lost several of his Teeth, short black curl'd Hair, walks very straight and upright for a Man of his Age. Had on and took with him a blue Pea Jacket, brown Thickset Breeches, check and white Shirts, Worsted and Yarn Stockings, Shoes lately soal'd, and an old Castor Hat.

It's probable they may cut off their Hair, and change their Dress, and strive to pass for Sailors, as *Bacon* was on board a Man of War for some Time before he came to this Province.

Whoever brings the said Servants to the Subscriber, shall receive as a Reward, Four Pistoles if taken in the Province; and if out of the Province, Eight Pistoles, or Half for either, paid by

JOHN DORSEY.

Piscataway, August 18, 1764.

THE Subscriber having received positive Instructions from his Employer, to make a speedy Collection of all his Debts due him in *Maryland*, and as he daily expects in a Ship to Load, he therefore requests of all those who are indebted to *ROBERT WATERS*, to come and discharge their Accounts, or settle the same to his Satisfaction, as he intends for *Great-Britain* about the latter End of *October*, and is therefore the more desirous of settling with every Person before he leaves the Country, that there may be no Disputes with those who may have the Charge of the Affairs in his Absence. Those who neglect to come and settle, may depend on being Sued and Warranted.

JOHN BAYNES.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, on Thursday the 15*th of* November *next, at the Premises, for good* London *Bills of Exchange, or Sterling Cash,*

FIFTEEN and a Quarter Acres of LAND, lying in *Prince-George's* County, on the Head of the *Quaspe* Creek, about 2½ Miles from *Magruder's* Warehouse, on *Patuxent* River; on which there is a very valuable over-shot double gear'd GRIST-MILL, with one Pair of Mill Stones 5 Feet 4 Inches; she has been built about 2 Years, and has a Stream of Water that never fails, and is well situated for Merchant Work. She will be delivered in good Repair to the Purchaser.

GEORGE FRASER HAWKINS.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near the Head of *South-River*, some Time last *June*, a Country born Negro Man named *Tony*, about 6 Feet high, has a small Scar in his Forehead, a down Look, and is slow of Speech: Had on when he went away, an Osnabrigs Shirt, and a Cotton Jacket and Breeches. It is likely he has other Cloathing, as some are missing. He has been used to work on board of Ships, and it is thought he is lurking about in order to get on board a Vessel. All Masters of Vessels are forbid carrying him off at their Peril.

Whoever will deliver the said Negro to me, shall receive 4 Dollars Reward.

JOHN WILMOT.

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